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Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed June 17, 1996, kindly amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please rewrite claim 18 as follows:

18. (Twice Amended) A hair-removal device for simultaneously removing multiple hairs, each of which is in a corresponding follicle, from a skin region of a patient, comprising:

means for generating optical radiation; and

an irradiating unit including a contact device [for] receiving radiation from said means for generating and then delivering the radiation to the skin region of the patient, including the hairs and follicles in said skin region, said contact device comprising a large-area, optically transparent apparatus having a surface shaped to

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